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**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified patent application, as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Page 1, between lines 3 and 4, in the second line of the Cross-Reference to Related Applications section added by the Preliminary Amendment filed December 20, 1996, strike the blanks and insert therefore the patent number --5,602,987--.

*B1* Page 11, line 26, change "Harari" to --Harari, now patent no. 5,095,344,--.

*B2* Page 11, lines 28 and 29, strike "filed on the same day as the present application," and substitute the following therefore: --Serial No. 07/337,579, filed April 13, 1989, now abandoned,--.

Page 22, line 14, insert after "204,175" --now patent no. 5,095,344,--.

*B3* Page 22, line 16, change "Techniques." to --Techniques, Serial No. 07/337,579, filed April 13, 1989, now abandoned.--

Page 26, line 3, insert a comma --,-- after "204,175" and insert thereafter --now patent no. 5,095,344,--.